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To.....You will agree that these prices have the  
right ring. It will be well for you to read  
each item carefully.

## Some Exceptional Offerings

IN.....

## Spring's Newest Fabrics.

## Dress Goods

49c Yard—15 pieces 35-inch Black  
Novelty Dress Goods; all new  
spring weaves; regular 69c quality.59c Yard—5 pieces Black Poplin;  
all wool; 40 inches wide.49c Yard—Homespun and Vene-  
tians; 40 inches wide; all the  
leading spring shades.69c Yard—10 pieces Poplins; 42  
inches wide; in all the best  
spring colorings.\$1.25 Yard—Reversible Suitings;  
latest color combinations; 50  
inches wide; choice of five patterns.

## Silks.

75c Yard—10 pieces 24-inch wide  
plain black Taffeta; either heavy  
or soft finish; regular 95c quality.65c Yard—50 pieces 24-inch Lyons  
printed Japanese Silk; all  
shades.98c Yard—Best showing we've ever  
made in this popular-priced silk;  
all the latest spring fancies.75c Yard—75 pieces heavy Taffeta  
Silks, in all shades of plain; also  
Satin stripes, Swiss checks, Pompadour,  
etc.

## Ready-to-Wear Garments.

\$14.85 For Pebble Cheviot and  
Covert Cloth Suits, Eton  
and Fly Front Jackets, lined and revers  
trimmed; new box plaited skirt; black  
and colors.\$10.00 For Venetian Cloth light-  
fitting or fly front Jackets;  
silk lined; skirt made with new pleated  
back; all colors.\$19.50 For FINE CHEVIOT  
Suits; jacket Eton style,  
taffeta lined, skirt trimmed applique;  
black and colors.\$4.98 For all-wool Covert and  
Broadcloth Jackets; silk  
lined, strap seams; black and colors.\$3.98 For Rainy Day Skirts; dou-  
ble faced cloth; all colors;  
stitched bias pleat around bottom.\$4.98 For 6 different styles La-  
dies' Silk Waists, in all  
the late shades; some with white yoke col-  
lars and revers.

## Carpetings.

89c Yard—Hartford & Smith's extra  
Axminster Carpets; regular \$1.25  
grades.78c Yard—WILTON VELVET  
CARPETS; regular \$1.00 grade.98c Yard—5-FRAME BODY BRUS-  
SELS CARPETS; regular \$1.35  
grade.\$1.25 Yard—Regular Axminster  
Carpets; the \$1.45 grade.

HAY BROTHERS—SHOES.

A Beautiful Display  
Of Fine Shoes.....Hay Brothers have their Spring  
Opening of Ladies' and Men's  
Fine Shoes to-day. Their win-  
dows are filled with a magnifi-  
cent display of Spring of 1900  
styles of fine footwear.The firm with pardonable pride  
presents these advanced spring  
styles for the pleasure and com-  
fort of the shoe wearing public,  
believing it to be the finest dis-  
play of fashionable shoes ever  
shown in our city.They take this opportunity to  
extend sincere thanks to their  
customers for their generous  
patronage in the past, and ex-  
pect right goods at right prices  
with courteous treatment to  
make this spring's business a  
record breaker.

1317 Market Street.

NICOLL'S ART STORE.

## Gold Photograph Frames.

We have just received from the  
maker a large assortment of the  
gold frames in all popular sizes  
from the tiny miniature to the  
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square. Finishes plain, ornate,  
matted and carved. Jeweled.  
Come and see them.Nicoll's Art Store,  
Market Street.

## The Intelligencer

Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

## New Advertisements.

Ladies' Cincinnati Made Shoes—Locke  
Shoe Company—fourth page.  
From Over the Sea—D. Gundling & Co.  
Fifth page.Suits and Top Coats—Kraus Bros.—  
Fifth page."I Like to Come Here"—The Hub—  
Eighth page.Spring's Newest Fabrics—Stone &  
Thomas—Eighth page.Change of Firm—John Friedel Co.—  
Fifth page.New Suitings and Dressy Dress Goods—  
Geo. E. Stifel & Co.—Fifth page.Folding Beds—Foster & Watkins—Fifth  
page.Trunks—McGadden's—Second page.  
For Rent—Holt & Zane.  
Receiver's Sale.  
Hotel Evans.  
Grand Opera house.  
Opera house.  
Retail Business for Sale.  
Wanted—Six or seven men.  
Wanted—Moulders.  
Chaplain Childwick at Carroll Club.

90,000.

We have fitted more than twenty  
thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us  
experience unequalled by  
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Satisfaction guaranteed.  
JACOB W. GRUBBS, Optician,  
No. 1400 Market Street.

## SPRING OPENING.

Suits made to order at popular  
prices. Bright novelties in Foreign  
and Domestic Woolens.C. HESS & SONS,  
Fashionable Tailors and Fine Fur-  
nishers, 1321-1323 Market St.

## BRIEF MENTIONING.

Events in and About the City Given  
in a Nutshell."Rubber day," which was held Sat-  
urday for the benefit of the Day Nursery,  
will be continued to-day.Bishop Donahue will deliver his lec-  
ture, "My Trip to Europe," at Clark-  
burg March 24, under the auspices of  
the Knights of St. John of that town.The first calico dress ball by the G.  
A. R. drum, fife and bugle corps will  
be given at Beabout Hall Monday even-  
ing, March 19. Several prizes will be  
awarded.The strike of the miners at Yorkville,  
Belmont county, has been settled, and  
the men will resume work this morn-  
ing. The settlement will give the men  
an advance of twenty cents a day.There was a serious break in the  
water main opposite the Carroll Club  
yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and  
the water spouted out at a lively gait  
until the repairs were made by a corps  
of water works employes.St. Patrick's Entertainment.  
This evening at the Carroll Club au-  
ditorium, there will be a St. Patrick's  
day entertainment under the auspices  
of Parke Division of the A. O. H., and  
the indications point to a crowded  
house. The programme will include  
Irish songs and recitations, addresses  
and a dramatic feature. On Thursday  
night last Mullen division gave an en-  
tertainment, and to-night's promises to  
be equally successful.New York Concert Company.  
At the Y. M. C. A. next Thursday  
evening, the New York Concert Com-  
pany will give an entertainment that  
will be very attractive. The company  
is made up of a male quartette and a  
lady reader. The Kansas City Times  
gives the following notice of a recent  
concert: "The entertainment given by  
the New York Concert Company last  
night was most excellent. The audi-  
ence seemed to grow more and more  
enthusiastic as the concert progressed,  
each number upon the programme be-  
ing recalled again and again."Seats will be reserved at the Y. M. C.  
A. Tuesday morning.New Church Ceiling.  
The plaster in the ceiling in the Eng-  
lish Lutheran church, on Sixteenth  
street, has begun to fall in places and  
in consequence a new metal ceiling will  
be substituted shortly. The plaster  
was put on about two years ago when  
the church was remodeled, and it was  
beautifully frescoed, so that the loss  
will be considerable, aggregating \$1,000  
it is said. Owing to there being danger  
from the falling plaster, the church ser-  
vices, meetings and entertainments will  
be held in the lecture room in the base-  
ment, until the new ceiling is put on in  
the auditorium.Piano Moving.  
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F. W. BAUMER CO.ITCHINESS of the skin, horrible  
plague. Most everybody afflicted in one  
way or another. Only one safe, never  
failing cure—Doan's Ointment. At any  
drug store, 50 cents.—L

## CUT IN TWAIN.

A Wheeling Man Falls from a Balti-  
more & Ohio Train

## AND IS INSTANTLY KILLED.

The Accident Occurred Early Yester-  
day Morning Near Cumberland,  
Md., and the Victim is Walter H.  
Balsell, a Well-Known Wheeling  
Young Man, Who Was "Beating"  
His Way.Information reached the city last  
night that Walter H. Balsell, a well  
known Wheeling young man, met in-  
stant death by falling from a Baltimore  
& Ohio freight train near Cumberland,  
Md., at an early hour yesterday morn-  
ing.Balsell, who is a young man of about  
twenty-six years, and was last em-  
ployed here as a waiter at Gavin's  
White Front restaurant, left the city  
just a week ago, and spent three or  
four days last week in Pittsburgh. It  
is supposed he went east from Pitts-  
burgh via the Baltimore & Ohio, riding  
the bumpers, tramp style. Details of  
the accident are not at hand. Little is  
known except that the accident occur-  
ed at or near Cumberland, and that  
the unfortunate young man fell from  
the bumpers and was cut in twain and  
instantly killed. It is not known what  
disposition will be made of the body.  
So far as could be learned, there is no  
effort being made to have the body  
brought to Wheeling for interment.  
Identification of the remains was  
brought about by papers the young man  
carried.The news of the tragedy became  
known last night, and the young man's  
many friends expressed deep regret.Burns Proved Fatal.  
Mrs. Ella Cole, aged eighty-two  
years, died yesterday morning at 4  
o'clock, at her home, 3522 Wood street,  
from the effects of burns she received  
Friday night. The accident was a sad  
one, and considering Mrs. Cole's age,  
her recovery was hardly expected. Her  
clothes caught fire from a grate and  
she was burned over almost her entire  
body. She suffered also from the shock.FATHER CHIDWICK'S LECTURE.  
Thursday Night, on the Maine Tra-  
gedy, an Event of the Season.Thursday night at the Carroll Club  
auditorium, Father Chidwick, who was  
the chaplain of the United States bat-  
tleship Maine when that ill-fated ves-  
sel was blown up in Havana harbor,  
will deliver his famous lecture. Doubt-  
less the house will be packed. Recent-  
ly the lecture was delivered in Pitts-  
burgh, and of it the Post said in part:Then followed the thrilling recital of  
the explosion, of the groans of bleeding  
and drowning men, the coolness of the  
captain, the launching of the boats. He  
spurned the sensational paragraphs of  
the day about the officers being not on  
board. All were there but four. He  
modestly omitted mention of his own  
ministrations during that night of ter-  
ror, but did not forget to allude to the  
treatment of the suffering in Spanish  
hospitals. To the bishop of Havana he  
was especially grateful. Rapidly he  
portrayed the scenes in the hospitals  
and the burial on Cuban soil of the mar-  
tyrs. He spoke of the strange episode  
of the Cuban band playing "Yankee  
Doodle" as the funeral party returned  
from the cemetery. This air, originally  
sung by Hollanders in derision of the  
English, sung in derision by Americans  
at Lexington, seemed to be the voices  
of the dead of the Maine throwing back  
defiance at the Spaniards, and saying  
that their bodies would yet sleep under  
the flag they loved so much. Incidents  
of the coming conflict were recited and  
then he turned to mention some of the  
effects of the war. We did not force it.  
Any other nation would have sent bat-  
tle ships the day after the explosion.  
There were too many differences among  
us to allow of patriotism, many held.  
But the response to the call for soldiers  
gave this lie. The fraternization of  
the north and south was dwelt upon  
with fervent words.Piano Moving.  
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Railroad and Steamship  
Tickets to all parts of the world. Also  
Cook's tours to Paris, \$145 to \$355, which  
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Rough Dry Washed, Starched and  
Dried 5 cents per pound.  
Flat Work, Washed and Ironed, 5  
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THE HUB CLOTHIERS.

## "I Like to Come Here—

"Always something new," was overheard Saturday. It's a great  
place for ideas—yes, and the store was never brighter and more  
bristling with newness than right now on the threshold of spring.

## Spring Clothing for Boys.

It's a comfortable place to bring the boy to be fitted in Cloth-  
ing—satisfying, too. All the prettiness from the best makers is  
here, as well as our own suggestions that have been specially made  
up for us, and it's these novelties that mothers seem to like best.  
Not strange. We've studied and learned the likes of parents whom  
our Clothing is designed to please. We've told daily that no such  
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verts and Worsteds \$2.00 to \$8.50.Elegant line of Children's Vestee Suits, with double-breasted  
vests, same as papa wears, in every conceivable pattern and in all  
grades, \$1.75 to \$8.50.

All the new shapes in Children's Hats and Caps.

Boy's double-breasted and three-piece Suits, in all styles and  
all grades, among them the TRELAWNY SUIT, sold exclusively  
by us; all prices, \$1.25 to \$10.00.The new Boys' Coat Shirts, just the thing to wear with the  
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Eton, Tight Fitting, also Fly Fronts, silk lined.  
Skirts made with the inverted plait back, giving that  
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## Ladies' Cincinnati Made Shoes.

Every detail in the make-up of this line shows care  
and workmanship. The toes are just the right width;  
heels just the right height; soles solid, but flexible; lin-  
ings good; fitting and facings artistic and neat.

SIMPLY THE BEST SHOE VALUES IN WHEELING.

Good, \$2.00. :: Better, \$2.50. :: Best, \$3.00.

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Intelligencer.The Only Medium Through Which Quick  
Returns Are Obtained.Intelligencer  
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THE BEST NATURAL APERIENT WATER,

BOTTLED AT THE SPRINGS, BUDA PEST, HUNGARY.

Under the Scientific Supervision of PROF. von FODOR,  
Director of the Hygienic Institute, Royal University,  
Buda Pesh.A  
Ready-Made  
Dep't Here.Which Ranks With the Best in  
the United States. The BEST  
Tailors Sell Us. We Sell Their  
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## The Bolero Jacket

Is a new collarless creation of especial interest to  
young ladies. The probabilities are that you will  
find these ultra-fashionable Jackets in no other  
Wheeling store. Can say the same of many other  
ready-to-wear articles, among them a line of newGlove-Fitting  
UnderskirtsThe waist construction of which abolishes the old-  
time bunchiness around the hips, permitting your  
suit to fit more snugly—without a wrinkle! These  
black and colored, skirts, with the new adjustable  
overlapping waist bands, cost you from

98c to \$2.98

## Box Reefers.

Exclusively ours are this line of extra choice Box Reefers for chil-  
dren. Come in tan, new blue, navy and cardinal. The finer ones are  
lined with harmonizing shades of taffeta silk.

## Kid Gloves.

Bring in samples of your new  
spring outfits. Can supply Kid  
Gloves to match at any price you  
wish to pay.

68c to \$2.00 pair

## Colored

## Umbrellas

Of Silk or Gloria, in both 24 and  
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rain or shine. The most popular  
lines we have ever shown.

\$1.89 up

## Men's Shirts

And Shirts for Boys. About  
three-fourths of our new line has  
arrived, but these make a show-  
ing not surpassed anywhere.  
Clear-cut styles, in both laun-  
dered and negligee—

49c to \$1.50

## Underwear.

A case of Ladies' Spring-  
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wear, slightly soiled,  
At 18c eachSpring Underwear for Men,  
Women and Children.Geo. M. Snook & Co.  
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